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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Previously Presented) A method for controlling a viewable browser window, comprising:
 - opening a controlling browser window configured to control aspects of a controlled browser window, wherein the controlling browser window establishes at least one event handler prior to opening the controlled browser window; and
 - opening the controlled browser window, wherein the controlled browser window includes a display area for rendering viewable content received from network locations, and wherein the controlling browser window controls at least one functional aspect of the controlled browser window during a browsing session engaged in by a user;
 - receiving user input to which the controlled browser window is configured to produce a predetermined response; and
 - overriding the predetermined response by executing an action specified by the at least one event handler to cause a response different from the predetermined response.
2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the viewable content is Web content.
3. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the controlling browser window is further configured to control a graphical aspect of the controlled browser including the control of at least one browser chrome element displayed by a graphical user interface displayed by the opened controlled browser window.
4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein opening the controlling browser window further comprises, locking at least one of a keyboard key and a mouse key.
- 5-6. (Canceled).

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7. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
re-establishing the at least one event handler for each change in a network address being accessed by the opened controlled browser window.
8. (Canceled).
9. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein opening the controlling browser window comprises preventing at least a portion of chrome of the opened controlled browser window from being displayed on an output device.
10. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the chrome of the opened controlled browser window comprises at least one of a tool bar, a menu bar, a title bar, an address field, and a border.
11. (Original) The method of claim 9, wherein the controlling browser window comprises at least one of a tool bar, a menu bar, a title bar, an address field, and a border.
12. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein opening the controlled browser window comprises executing a controlled browser program and wherein opening the controlling browser window comprises executing a controlling browser program.
13. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 12, further comprising, in response to receiving user input configured to produce a first action by the opened controlled browser program, executing the controlling browser program to override the first action and produce a second action.
14. (Currently Amended) A ~~tangible~~ computer readable storage medium containing a controlling browser program which, when executed, performs operations for controlling a controlled browser window comprising a display area for rendering viewable content received from network locations, the operations comprising:

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opening a controlling browser window configured to control aspects of the controlled browser window by establishing at least one event handler prior to opening the controlled browser window, and wherein the controlling browser window controls at least functional aspect of the controlled browser window, during a browsing session engaged in by a user;

receiving user input to which the controlled browser window is configured to produce a predetermined response; and

overriding the predetermined response by executing an action specified by the at least one event handler to cause a response different from the predetermined response.

15. (Original) The computer readable medium of claim 14, wherein the viewable content is Web content.

16. (Canceled).

17. (Previously Presented) The computer readable medium of claim 14, wherein the controlling browser window is further configured to control a graphical aspect of the controlled browser window including the control of at least one browser chrome element displayed by a graphical user interface displayed by the opened controlled browser window.

18. (Canceled).

19. (Canceled).

20. (Original) The computer readable medium of claim 14, wherein opening the controlling browser window comprises locking at least one of a keyboard key and a mouse key.

21. (Previously Presented) The computer readable medium of claim 14, wherein the controlling browser window is configured to restrict the browsing activity engaged in

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by the user by limiting access to at least one network address that is accessible by the opened controlled browser window.

22. (Previously Presented) The computer readable medium of claim 14, wherein opening the controlling browser window comprises preventing at least a portion of chrome of the opened controlled browser window from being displayed on an output device.

23. (Previously Presented) The computer readable medium of claim 22, wherein the chrome of the opened controlled browser window comprises at least one of a tool bar, a menu bar, a title bar, an address field, and a border.

24. (Original) The computer readable medium of claim 22, wherein the controlling browser window comprises at least one of a tool bar, a menu bar, a title bar, an address field, and a border.

25. (Previously Presented) A computer, comprising:
a memory containing at least a browser programming;
a processor which when executing the browser programming, is configured to:
open a controlling browser window configured to control aspects of a controlled browser window by establishing at least one event handler prior to opening the controlled browser window, the aspects comprising at least one operational aspects of a graphical user interface; and

opening the controlled browser window, wherein the controlled browser window includes a display area for rendering viewable content received from network locations, and wherein the controlling browser window controls the at least one operational aspect of the controlled browser window during a browsing session engaged in by a user;

receiving user input to which the controlled browser window is configured to produce a predetermined response; and

overriding the predetermined response by executing an action specified by the at least one event handler to cause a response different from the predetermined response.

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26. (Previously Presented) The computer of claim 25, wherein the browser programming comprises a Web browser.

27. (Canceled).

28. (Previously Presented) The computer of claim 25, further comprising a keyboard and a mouse and wherein, by executing the browser programming to open the controlling browser window, the processor is configured to lock at least one of a keyboard key and a mouse key.

29. (Canceled)

30. (Previously Presented) The computer of claim 25, further comprising a display device and wherein, by executing the browser programming, the processor is configured to prevent at least a portion of chrome of the controlled browser window from being displayed on the display device.

31. (Currently Amended) The ~~method~~ computer of claim 30, wherein the chrome of the controlled browser window comprises at least one of a tool bar, a menu bar, a title bar, an address field, and a border.

32. (Previously Presented) The computer of claim 25, further comprising a network connection configured to support communications with the network locations via a network.

33. (Original) The computer of claim 32, wherein the network is the Internet.

34. (Previously Presented) A method of controlling a browsing session engaged in by a user, comprising:

opening a browser program that opens a first browser window, configured to open and display an HTML document, wherein the HTML document includes an executable component, which when processed by the browser program causes the

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browser program to establish at least one event handler, and further configured to open a second browser window;

opening the second browser window, wherein the executable component of the first browser window is further configured to control at least functional aspect of the second browser window, during the browsing session engaged in by a user interacting with the second browser window;

receiving user input to which the second browser window is configured to produce a predetermined response; and

overriding the predetermined response by executing an action specified by the at least one event handler to cause a response different from the predetermined response.

35. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the aspects of the second browser window to be controlled by the first browser window further comprise controlling a graphical aspect of at least one browser chrome element displayed by the second browser window.

36. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the executable component processed by the browser program renders the first browser window as a hidden window and the second browser window as a viewable window, and wherein the browsing activity engaged in by the user is restricted by the executable component.